

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
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1001-017

In Re Application Of: Yosuke Morimoto

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Invention: POSITION DETECTING APPARATUS, AND OPTICAL APPARATUS AND POSITION DETECTING METHOD COMPRISING THIS

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 18, 2004 above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: May 18, 2004

Date

until: June 18, 2004

Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1644
- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 18-1644

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